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APPLICATION

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S/N 10562601

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Sequence Rule Compliance Review Item

	CRF, paper copy of sequence listing, and statement that both are same missing
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**DOES NOT COMPLY WITH THE
SEQUENCE RULES. See reasons below.**

**The application does not conform to 37 C.F.R. 1.821 –
1.825. See the attached pages.**

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Sequence Listing could not be accepted due to errors.

See attached Validation Report.

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Reviewer: Anne Corrigan

Timestamp: Thu Jun 07 20:19:22 EDT 2007

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Reviewer Comments:

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There are no Xaa's at locations 2-4, and 5-7. Why are there Xaa explanations? e.g., "Gly" is at location 2--it can only represent itself; "Glu" is at location 3. Same type of error in Sequence 15.

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The <222> and <223> responses above are invalid. "Arg" is at location 2--it can only represent itself. If you want location 2 to represent Arg, Ala, or Lys, please use "Xaa" instead of "Arg." Same problem with the <222> (3)..(3) and the <223> line below it.

Same type of error in Sequence 29.

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Artificial Sequence. Please give the source of "MUT16." Same type of error throughout the submitted file.

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